

# 2019 MAJOR – Journalism and Non-Fiction Writing

(Qualifying Major for Bachelor of Arts)

This major develops practical skills in journalism and non-fiction writing as well as critical and analytical skills with regard to the role of the media and how news is generated, reported and transformed in the online environment. Journalistic skills are developed in some of the most up-to-date and cutting edge media facilities and equipment in Australia.



**The table below is a suggested first session for students beginning in Session 2, 2019.** Please make your selection of units after reviewing the requirements of your award in the 2019 Handbook:

[www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/DegreesDiplomas/Degree/Bachelor+of+Arts](http://www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/DegreesDiplomas/Degree/Bachelor+of+Arts)

## Suggested First Session

### Session 2, 2019

Unit Code	Unit Name
MAS110	Introduction to Digital Media
MAS105	Media Cultures
ACSH100	Academic Communication in the Social Sciences and Humanities
Elective	Choose an elective unit

- You must also meet the general requirements for the degree for which you will qualify.
- It may be possible to satisfy the requirements of your degree by taking a different selection of units in your first session from those suggested above.
- Consider what units you will want to study in second and third year. Prerequisite requirements for those units must be completed prior to enrolment in the higher-level unit.
- You must select a Professional and Community Engagement (PACE) unit as part of the elective component of your degree. It is important to plan ahead for this requirement and allocate elective space for your chosen PACE unit. A list of eligible units is available at [www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/Units/PACE](http://www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/Units/PACE).
- For a double major complete required units for both majors where possible in the first year. If considering a double major consult the criteria found at [www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/Majors](http://www.handbook.mq.edu.au/2019/Majors).
- You can receive specific program advice from the faculty at any stage in your degree by lodging a “Program Advice” enquiry via <http://ask.mq.edu.au>.

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